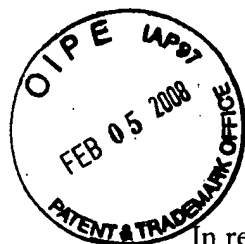


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In re Application of:

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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the  
above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

☐ Previously submitted:

☐ Please consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_. (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above  
will be entered).

☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

☒ Enclosed:

☒ Amendment with RCE Filing

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

☒ Information Disclosure Statement with Form 1449

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2. Miscellaneous

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R.  
§ 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not  
exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

## 3. Fees Calculation

## (a) RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

☒ \$810.00☐ \$405.00 (for small entity)

## (b) Extension of Time

☐ Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below.

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 460.00	\$230.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 1,050.00	\$525.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,640.00	\$820.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: **\$ 1640.00.**4. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	6	minus	20	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	2	minus	3	0	x \$210 each=	+ \$
[ ] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$370.00	+ \$
SUB-TOTAL =						\$
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						- \$
TOTAL FEE =						\$ 0.00

5. Fee Payment

- ☐ No fee is to be paid at this time.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$2450.00** (\$810.00 for the RCE and \$1640.00 for extension of time) for the RCE filing fee due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

6. Additional papers enclosed:

- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

Respectfully submitted,  
**Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP**

Dated: February 5, 2008

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